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**REQUEST FOR A THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

The initial period for response to the outstanding Official Action, issued March 13, 2003 expired on June 13, 2003.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17, petition is hereby made for a three month extension of time up to and including September 13, 2003 in which to respond to the

**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION**

I hereby certify that this Request For A Three Month Extension Of Time is being forwarded to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office via facsimile (703-872-9306) to Examiner Gail Kaplan Verbitsky on this 11<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2003.

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Official Action. Authorization is hereby given to charge the \$930.00 three month extension fee for a large entity to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Authorization is hereby provided to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully submitted,  
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